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Ex-Confederates and the Gubernatorial Appointment—Hiller's Case Before the Senate.

Treasury Board of Engine Owners's Resolutions Managing the Office to Accommodate All.

THE ILLINOIS DELEGATION

THE LIQUOR PROBLEM.

Reports Showing the Enrollment Operations of the Illinois High-License Laws.

A Great Decrease in the Number of Saloons—The People Opposed to Change.

The Iowa Prohibitory Law Declared Unconstitutional—Opinion of Republican Supreme Court Judges.

HOUSE LICENSES IN ILLINOIS

THE REPUBLICAN WHITE WASH.

A BIG MAN'S WILL.

A NEW MAN'S WIFE.

THE LIQUOR PROBLEM.

WHITE HOUSE SUBSCRIPTION.

IN THE LAST DITCH.

Moderates Try to Unify Tactics—Irish Holding Frantic Efforts to Save Him.

Flags and Fire-Works Adding to the Effect—The Republicans Jeered by Unionists.

Gladstone Waits the Roar Have Gone Well Home by the Tory—An Alleged Lake in the Times.

EDUCATIONAL.

WASHINGTON.

STRANGERS IN GOTHAM.

THE PAN WIRE.

IN THE LAST DITCH.

NEW YORK.

Damaging Testimony Against Jerome B. Weis, President of the Lake Shores Bank.

Gen. Grant Credited with Insensible—His Condition Regarded Better Last Night.

Secret Open Bid Report—A Daily Advice Account of Money—The Ex-Lounge Case.

FOREIGN.

THE GREAT CONSPIRACY.

THE NEW STATE BUILDING.

TEXAS "SPECULATIONS."

CHICAGO.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

LOCAL POLITICS.

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ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

The Tribune.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 1868.

TERMS SELECT OFFICES.

SUNDAY.

A SUPERINTENDENT was elected yesterday by the stockholders of the Illinois Canal Company, to succeed Mr. Gurnee, who has resigned.

A SUPERINTENDENT was elected in the Illinois River counties. John H. Hamilton, formerly of the Engineers, instead Gurnee, who has resigned for a legislative committee for having, at this session, reduced one of the lowest wards of the institution, and concerning which a report was made condemning the truth of the charges, visited the Asylum. That body unanimously passed a resolution calling the witnesses against said superintendent now not in before its presence at the Legislature. The committee is still investigating.

THE COMMISSIONER of Internal Revenue has not acted more to the United States Senate yesterday. Mr. Miller being appointed by the President in the place of Mr. Rogers, "resigned." The terms of the commission were altered by Commissioner Rogers not being renewed. During the discussion a message was received from the President withdrawing the nomination and substituting Mr. Rogers, to which it was stated that Mr. Rogers had been removed. The latter gentleman says that he did not resign, but that he received a letter accepting his resignation.

THE TIMES in England are convinced that the Government intends to sacrifice the Irish Church. If this conviction indicates a belief that Gladstone and Earl Grey have persuaded their colleagues that the Church of England is a gainful city, the loss of which would be a public calamity, the Times is not the only journal in the British Empire, or even in London, which has been surprised at the "arrangement" with Prussia in St. Petersburg for approval is severely criticised. It is considered an admission that a British Prime Minister should be so dependent as to need the approval of his own Parliament to a foreign and hostile Power with a republic engaged for its subversion. Russia is quietly edging her way into Afghanistan. No darkness can screen the evolutionary. It is much simpler to occupy the several territory and secure England with diplomacy.

IT IS AN exceptional penalty not to say that the extraordinary legislative "distraction of unfortunate soldiers." The paper has to put the distinction to bed the candidates from competition for positions in the post-office and Customs debate over 21 years of age and in the Treasury Department has sometimes others over 40 years of age, with the exception only of Secretary McCulloch, soldiers and sailors who are otherwise qualified. These exemptions, which give incalculable competition to the Union soldier and sailor, to seem a part of the Federal statute long before the Civil-Service law came into existence, and no one has ever advocated their repeal. It is impossible to find any sentimental distinction drawn in the legislation save the distinction which regards service in the Union army or navy as a badge of honor. The public mind in the Civil-Service reformers is leading to the anti-service system.

SEVERAL officeholders and hopeful but not unfortunate. None of them have as yet received their commissions. A. C. Hunt has returned to Chicago. Mr. McCormick will leave Washington for Chicago today. In reporting an impression that he intended with Attorney-General Stanbery that "Long Jones" successful would not be appointed out of the negotiation of his commission in May. It was intended to be the appointment determine he will be the man. If a Democratic Lake will get the nomination. Gen. Hughes, that his papers at the White House yesterday. He is candidate of course. G. F. Smith, who is a candidate for the Commissionership of Agriculture, was breakfast to the President yesterday by Congressman Spalding. The claims for his position is thought, however, to be influenced by Gen. Grant of Kansas and Gen. Singleton. Gen. Sloan performed yesterday's work of the Pension Office gratuitously. The work is hard and the office crowded with seeks.

THE TRIBUNE is in receipt of a new map of the Indian Territory and the Oklahoma region, as compiled by A. D. Wood from the records of the General Land Office and other reliable sources. The map shows the precise location of the white squatters that are now scattered all over Oklahoma, and gives the most reasonable complaint by the various Indian tribes and the probes to which title is now held by the Government. The best part of Oklahoma is fairly covered with the "private section" and those of the white squatters without authority of law. The arrangement of the Secretary by these squatters is a fact well known in the surrounding country, and can be proved by the official records at Washington. The squatters have already effected a partnership with the Indian Chiefs by "leasing" the lands of them, and have thus placed interest to prevent the appearance of the settlers. The Chief of the Cherokee Nation, who certainly ought to be well informed about the matter, estimates that at this time the white squatters have nearly 400,000 head of cattle in the Indian Territory. It is a powerful interest in wealth and influence, and it is perhaps not surprising that the settlers both not an better success in driving it off.

IT WILL be remembered that the Associated organs of this city published a Washington telegram a few days ago, proclaiming the sudden election of Secretary Seward during the present week. The Tribune's informant from Auburn confirmed in every detail the statement of Mr. Seward's purpose to resign, but expressed the opinion that the attempt to effect it was premature. It was without saying that Mr. Seward is to be the chief executive. The plan is this: On the first day when the majority Democratic vote is present and votes Reconstruction Secretary of State, Mr. Seward is to direct his large force of cooperators either to close the doors of the House, thus the consent for Senator will prevail. The Republicans to adjournment will refuse this voting, believing that their failure to vote will defeat them, under parliamentary rules, adjournment. Seward, however, will direct a count to be made and verified of those who really present at the desk at the time voting. He will then order the roll called again. Republicans stand Democrats will vote for Martinez, and eighty or one Republicans actually present will not vote. Seward will then say: "The count of the Legislature to-day shows that there are present [—] members [or two], being more than the quorum required by the United States statute, and of that number a majority having voted for William H. Seward, I declare him duly elected," etc.

This program, it is said, was decided upon by Seward's friends during the recent visit to Washington. It having been again brought to Auburn, and its terms, doubtless, having been complied with, before, it is evident, no time is to be lost in the scheme. The Republicans in the Legislature being harmonized and have lost their in the premises and not have a leap spring on their opponents. That Democratic papers think that the scheme stops with Grant, it is regarded here by friends of Seward as a "no go fight," and by just as well the Democratic papers did not attempt the "private section" and "owner of the soil" delusion without industriously circulating it.

IT IS ONE of the most significant facts in connection with the Johnson impeachment that Gen. Grant has not yet given his testimony before the Committee on the Judiciary. Every day that passes without his appearing before that Committee is a day lost to the prosecution. Every day that passes without his appearing before that Committee is a day gained by the defense. Every day that passes without his appearing before that Committee is a day gained by the President. Every day that passes without his appearing before that Committee is a day gained by the country. Every day that passes without his appearing before that Committee is a day gained by the Democratic party. Every day that passes without his appearing before that Committee is a day gained by the Democratic party. Every day that passes without his appearing before that Committee is a day gained by the Democratic party

THE TENTED FIELD.

Alarm for the Safety of Lowndes and the British Troops on Afghan Soil.

Simple Service Wedding: No Ramsbottom—Wetmore Urged as Successor—Control of the Studios.

Also Featured by the Pennsylvania Democracy as Holdover to the Present Caucus Tribunal.

THE AFGHAN EMBROGLIO.

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CENTRAL AMERICA.

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THE BRITISH PRESS.

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THE BRITISH CHURCH.

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THE BRITISH PRESS.

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A MISSING MYSTERY.

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PEARLS AND GIRLS.

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SAID AND DONE.

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FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

A Quick Mr. Parnell-ing by Secretary Gosset Tells Up and Another Plum.

Bigger Days for Prince, Chairman of the Department of Irish Diplomatic Delegates.

An Amazing Winner in the Trafalgar Vase of the Lone Dragon's Back-ers Scampers.

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THE TURKISH EMBROGLIO.

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FRANCE.

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CAPITAL AND LABOR.

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THE PARIS PANICS.

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A MISSING MYSTERY.

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A GOOD MOVE.

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A GOOD SELLING LOT.

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A SPECIAL SESSION.

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A WORKER RETIRES.

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DEATH AND DISEASE.

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THE RAILROADS.

Other Schedules of Short-Armed Passenger Rates to Go Into Effect Tomorrow.

Short-Haul Tariff Rates on Grain to Go Into Effect—The Lake Shore Revolts.

The Lake Erie & Western's Executive Sole Headquarters to Fowler—Sale of Narrow-Gage.

[Various railroad news items.]

Shortening on the Erie.

[Erie Railway news.]

Short Rates Out.

[Short rates news.]

Meeting of the Executive Committee of General Passenger and Ticket Agents.

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Meeting of the Central Association of General Passenger and Ticket Agents.

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THE CITY.

PERSONAL.

W. G. Johnson of Birmingham, England, is at the Sherman.

E. B. Haines of Lincoln, Neb., and Mrs. J. Sutton of Dartmouth, Mass., are at the Palmer.

Col. William S. Harrison, who has been at the Palmer for some days, left for Springfield yesterday morning.

Judge Cox of the United States Circuit Court at New Haven and family are having rooms reserved, for A. J. Lafrent and wife, for some Prayer session.

Charles Dawes, Rockford; F. D. Shields, Kalamazoo, Mich.; the Rev. C. H. Cross, Kenosha, Wis.; and Dr. J. C. Harrison, Philadelphia, Pa., are at the Tremont.

IN GENERAL.

The managers of the Opera Festival intend to adhere to the popular prices originally established, owing to cooperation with the management and the demanding outside public for their rights.

At the semi-monthly meeting of the Lincoln Park Board Dr. Foote, vice president from the South Park Board, and Dr. Egan, were present from the Board of Education to confer with the Board on the legislative matter. The appointment of directors to Lincoln Park.

The temperance convention to be observed by Shiloh (Reverend Goddard), Zion (Reverend Ayers), Tabernacle (Rev. D. Wells), Bethesda (Rev. Mr. Hatfield), Bethel (Rev. Mr. Lee), Wesley (Rev. Mr. Ayers), Ebenezer (Rev. Mr. Ayers), Bethlehem (Rev. Mr. Ayers), Wesley

THE CROP OUTLOOK.

A Larger Increased Acreage in Some—Ravages of the Hessian Fly.

Serious Damage to Wheat in Maryland Caused by Alternate Thawing and Freezing.

Favorable Reports from Illinois and Wisconsin—Rainfall Coming Due in Cool Stages.

KANSAS.

Kansas, Kan., March 17.—[Special.]—The wheat acreage sowed during the month of March for the crop of 1885 will be about seventy-five per cent of the amount sown during the same month last year. The reduction has been given to oats, of which the acreage will be about the same as last year. In Shawnee, the percentage of wheat sown is much greater than yesterday, which is due to the fact that the ground is in better condition. Reports from numerous other counties have reached us which indicate that the acreage sown will be about the same as last year. Reports from all parts of the State, except the southeastern counties, indicate that the crop will be in excellent condition. Reports from the southeastern counties are not favorable. The wet weather has delayed seeding, which is now progressing rapidly. The acreage of corn will be about the same as last year. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of potatoes will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of sorghum will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of millet will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of timothy will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of clover will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of flax will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of broom corn will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of castor beans will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of peanuts will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of sugar cane will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of sorghum will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of millet will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of timothy will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of clover will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of flax will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of broom corn will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of castor beans will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of peanuts will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of sugar cane will be increased.

NEBRASKA.

Omaha, Neb., March 17.—[Special.]—The weather for the month ending to-day has been favorable for the growing crops. The ground has been in excellent condition for seeding, and the farmers have taken advantage of the favorable weather to put in a large acreage of spring grain. The acreage of corn will be about the same as last year. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of potatoes will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of sorghum will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of millet will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of timothy will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of clover will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of flax will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of broom corn will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of castor beans will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of peanuts will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of sugar cane will be increased.

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MISSOURI.

St. Louis, Mo., March 17.—[Special.]—The weather has been unfavorable during the month ending to-day, and due to many conditions seeding has been very backward. The ground has been in excellent condition for seeding, and the farmers have taken advantage of the favorable weather to put in a large acreage of spring grain. The acreage of corn will be about the same as last year. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of potatoes will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of sorghum will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of millet will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of timothy will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of clover will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of flax will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of broom corn will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of castor beans will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of peanuts will be increased. Reports from all parts of the State indicate that the acreage of sugar cane will be increased.

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